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15 April 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR ADMIRAL SOUERS

SUBJECT: Personnel Requisitions for the Central Reports Staff

REFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1, para. 5
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2, Appendix "A"
(c) Memorandum, 1 April 1946, "Revision of the Proposed Organization of the Central Reports Staff."
(d) Memorandum, 3 April 1946, "Revision of C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3."

1. As directed after discussion of Reference (c) at the morning conference, 2 April, I submitted Reference (d) the next day. It was referred to the Central Planning Staff and has not yet emerged therefrom. Publication of a revision of C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 substantially on the lines approved on 2 April and drafted in Reference (d) is prerequisite to implementation of my recommendations herein, if confusion in the Departments is to be avoided.

2. Discussions with personnel representatives from State, War, and Navy in the preparation of detailed job descriptions have led me to make a slight revision of the position classifications shown in the chart attached to Reference (c), without change in the basic concept. My present recommendations are based on the chart in Tab "A".

3. The positions called for in Tab "A" vary slightly in number and grade from those envisaged in N.I.A. Directive No. 2, Appendix "A," but the totals by grade group are substantially the same and budgetwise the net effect is a reduction of \$820 per annum, as shown in Tab "B." I am told that such readjustments in detail within overall budgetary authorizations are acceptable in Civil Service practice.

4. I propose that the positions indicated in Tab "B," in each grade so far as practicable, be filled with nominees of the four members of the I.A.B. in approximately equal proportion (or at the ratio of State 1: War 2: Navy 1). This is a departure from the detailed allotments in N.I.A. Directive No. 2, Appendix "A," which roughly conform to the 1:2:1 ratio in total numbers, but vary greatly from it by grades. (The differences are shown in Tab "C.") However, application of the 1:2:1 ratio in each grade, so far as practicable, would be in conformity with the views of members of the I.A.B. (e.g.,

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5. On the basis of the foregoing, I have drafted a memorandum to the members of the I.A.B. explaining the present basis of requisitioning (Tab "D") and memoranda to each of them requisitioning permanently assigned personnel for the Central Reports Staff (Tabs "E" - "H"). Such personnel are urgently required to accomplish the mission of the Staff.

6. Recommendation: That the draft memoranda in Tabs "D" - "H" be approved and forwarded.

LUDWELL L. MONTAGUE
Acting Chief, C.R.S.

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Tabs A - H

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OVERALL COMPARISON OF PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS
OF TAB "A" WITH AUTHORIZATION IN N.I.A. DIRECTIVE
NO. 2, APPENDIX "A"

<u>Grade</u>	<u>N.I.A. Directive</u>	<u>Tab "A"</u>
P-8, Col., Capt.	4	7
P-7 (Lt. Col., Cdr.)	5	5
P-6, Lt. Col., Cdr.	17	16
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Subtotal	34	33
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Subtotal	20	20
Total	61	58

Budgetary comparison (based on Civil Service salaries):

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C.R.S. PERSONNEL IN N.I.A. DIRECTIVE NO. 2,
APPENDIX "A" WITH THOSE HEREIN PROPOSED

Numbers without parentheses are those in
 N.I.A. Directive No. 2, Appendix "A."

Numbers within parentheses are those proposed
 in accordance with N.I.A. Directive No. 1, para. 1.

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P-7 (Lt. Col., Cdr.)	3 (1)	2 (1)	(2)	(1)
P-6, Lt. Col., Cdr.	6 (4)	3 (4)	3 (4)	5 (4)
P-5, Maj., Lt. Cdr.	7 (2)	(1)	(1)	1 (1)
P-4				1
P-3, 1st Lt., Lt. (j.g.)		1 (1)	(2)	1 (2)
P-2		2		2
CAF-7		(1)		1
CAF-5	(1)	2 (2)		1
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MEMORANDUM FOR

GENERAL VANDENBERG

SUBJECT: Apportionment of Departmental Contributions of
Personnel for the Central Reports Staff

REFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3
(d) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)

1. Reference (a), paragraph 1, states the basic policy of the National Intelligence Authority with respect to the subject. It requires that the participation of the State, War and Navy Departments be "adequate and equitable," and that the Army Air Forces be represented on a basis similar to that of the Army and the Navy.

2. The detailed initial personnel authorization for the Central Reports Staff is set forth in Reference (b), Appendix "A". The original draft of that portion of the Appendix which relates to the C.R.S. was based upon the concept of a functional organization such as that described in Reference (c). The numbers and grades of personnel were apportioned accordingly and so as to divide the total cost equally between the State, War, and Navy Departments. This was subsequently revised in haste to apportion the total numbers of personnel more nearly in line with the approved 1:2:1 ratio. The final version is imperfect from that point of view and makes no such apportionment by grades.

3. It now appears, in the light of experience and of further consideration, that the basic organization of the C.R.S. should be regional, although provision for functional specialization may be made later, as required. This reorganization can readily be effected within the overall personnel authorization in Reference (b). It entails some changes in numbers and grades, but their net effect is a budgetary reduction of \$820 per annum. Organization on a regional basis makes it essential, however, that the 1:2:1 ratio be closely applied, not only overall, but also with respect to each grade, in order that State, War, Navy and Army Air may be "adequately and equitably" represented in each regional subdivision of the Staff. I therefore propose to requisition personnel for the Central Reports Staff on that basis.

4. The differences between the apportionment in Reference (b) and that now proposed are shown in detail in the Appendix (Tab

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"C"). In view of the known policy of the National Intelligence Authority, as stated in Reference (a), paragraph 1, it would appear unnecessary to request of them action to effect such a readjustment in detail, provided that there is no objection in the Intelligence Advisory Board.

SIDNEY W. SOUERS
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: Personnel Requisition for the
Central Reports Staff

REFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "D")
(e) Memorandum, 13 February 1946, "Assignment of
State Department Personnel to the Central
Intelligence Group for the Central Reports
Staff."

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d) the contribution of State Department personnel desired for that purpose is two P-8's, one P-7, four P-6's, two P-5's, one CAF-5, and five CAF-4's. This requisition for such a contribution supersedes that contained in Reference (e).

2. It is requested that, in partial fulfillment of the foregoing requisition, you confirm the permanent assignment of the State Department personnel now temporarily on duty with the Central Reports Staff. Their names and present grades, the positions which they now occupy, and the grades being sought for those positions are as follows:

3. Pursuant to N.I.A. Directive No. 1, paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to the remaining personnel to be permanently assigned: one P-8, four P-6's, and five CAF-4's.

4. It is contemplated that the P-8 will serve as chief of one of five regional sections: viz., Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-USSR, Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. Since it is impossible to determine which of these sections should be headed by a State Department nominee until consideration has been given to nominations to be received from the several Departments,

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you are requested to make nominations with respect to each of them.

5. Similarly, it is requested that you nominate at least two persons in or eligible for grade P-6 with respect to each of the broad regions named above, one to be qualified primarily as a political analyst and one as an economic analyst.

6. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

SIDNEY W. SOUERS
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL VANDENBERG

SUBJECT: Personnel Requisition for the
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REFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "D")

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d), the contribution of War Department personnel desired for that purpose (exclusive of that to be requisitioned through the Army Air Forces) is:

- 2 Colonels (or civilians in grade P-8)
- 1 Lieutenant Colonel (or civilian P-7)
- 4 Lieutenant Colonels (or civilian P-6's)
- 1 Major (or civilian P-5)
- 1 First Lieutenant (or civilian P-3)
- 1 CAF-7, to serve as Administrative Assistant
- 2 CAF-5's
- 2 CAF-4's

2. It is requested that, in partial fulfillment of the foregoing requisition, you effect the permanent assignment of the M.I.S. personnel now on temporary duty with the Central Reports Staff. They are:

3. Pursuant to N.I.A. Directive No. 1, paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to the remaining personnel to be permanently assigned: two colonels, five lieutenant colonels,

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and one major (or civilians of equivalent grade); one CAF-7 and two CAF-4's.

4. It is contemplated that the two colonels (or P-8's) will each serve as chief of one of five regional sections of the C.R.S.: viz., Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-U.S.S.R., Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. Since it is impossible to determine which of these sections should be headed by a War Department nominee until consideration has been given to nominations to be received from the several Departments, you are requested to make nominations with respect to each of them.

5. Similarly it is requested that you nominate at least one lieutenant colonel (or civilian of equivalent grade) having special qualifications with reference to each of the broad regions named above and qualified to analyze and report on political and/or economic as well as strictly military developments therein.

6. You are requested also to nominate at least one lieutenant colonel qualified by training or experience to serve as Secretary (in the J.C.S. sense) or Executive Officer in the fully activated C.R.S., and at least one lieutenant colonel (or P-6) qualified to serve as Assistant Editor of periodical summaries of current intelligence. The Administrative Assistant (CAF-7) will be sought in S.S.U.

7. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

SIDNEY W. SOUERS
Director

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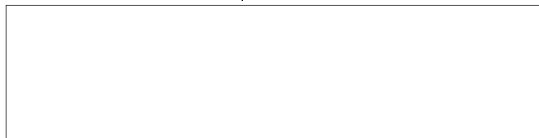
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(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "D")

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d), the contribution of Navy Department personnel desired for that purpose is:

- 2 Captains (or civilians in grade P-8)
- 1 Commander (or civilian in grade P-7)
- 4 Commanders (or civilians in grade P-6)
- 1 Lieutenant Commander (or civilian P-5)
- 2 Lieutenants, junior grade (or civilian P-3's)
- 5 Clerk-Stenographers, CAF-4

2. The Navy personnel presently on temporary duty with the Central Reports Staff are:



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3. Pursuant to Reference (a), paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to personnel to be permanently assigned to the C.I.G. for duty with the C.R.S.

4. It is contemplated that the two captains (or civilian P-8's) will each serve as chief of one of five regional sections of the C.R.S.: viz., Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-U.S.S.R., Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. Since it is impossible to determine which of these sections should be headed by a Naval nominee until consideration has been given to nominations to be received from the several Departments, you are requested to make nominations with respect to each of them.

5. Similarly, it is requested that you nominate at least one commander (or civilian of equivalent grade) having special qualifications with reference to each of the broad regions named above. They should be professionally qualified to analyze and report on developments of naval or maritime interest. Additional competence for analyzing and reporting general political and economic developments in the region is desirable.

6. You are requested also to nominate at least one commander

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qualified by training or experience to serve as Secretary (in the J.C.S. sense) or Executive Officer in the fully activated C.R.S., and at least one commander (or P-6) qualified to serve as Assistant Editor of periodical summaries of current intelligence.

7. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

SIDNEY W. SOUERS
Director

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SUBJECT: Personnel Requisition for the
Central Reports Staff

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(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "C")

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d), the contribution of Army Air Forces personnel desired for that purpose is:

- 1 Colonel (or civilian in grade P-8).
- 2 Lieutenant Colonels (or civilian P-7's).
- 4 Lieutenant Colonels (or civilian P-6's).
- 1 Major (or civilian P-5)
- 2 1st Lieutenants (or civilian P-3's)
- 4 Clerk-Stenographers CAF-4

2. The A.A.F. personnel presently serving with the Central Reports Staff are:

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3. Pursuant to N.I.A. Directive No. 1, paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to the personnel remaining to be assigned: five lieutenant colonels and one first lieutenant (or civilians of equivalent grade), and three CAF-4's. You are requested to nominate at least one lieutenant colonel or professional civilian having special qualifications with respect to each of the five broad geographical regions: Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-USSR, Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. They should be professionally qualified to analyze and report on developments in those regions in both military and civil aviation. Additional competence to analyze and report on general political and economic developments is desirable.

4. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

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SIDNEY W. SOUERS
Director

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15 April 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR ADMIRAL EOWERS

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LUDWELL L. MONTAGUE
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**COMPARISON OF DEPARTMENTAL ALLOCATIONS OF
C.R.S. PERSONNEL IN N.I.A. DIRECTIVE NO. 2,
APPENDIX "A" WITH THOSE HEREIN PROPOSED**

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in accordance with N.I.A. Directive No. 1, para. 1.

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P-7 (Lt. Col., Cdr.)	3 (1)	2 (1)	(2)	(1)
P-6, Lt. Col., Cdr.	6 (4)	3 (4)	3 (4)	5 (4)
P-5, Maj., Lt. Cdr.	7 (2)	(1)	(1)	1 (1)
P-4				1
P-3, 1st Lt., Lt. (j.g.)		1 (1)	(2)	1 (2)
P-2		2		2
CAF-7		(1)		1
CAF-5	(1)	2 (2)		1
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1 P-4	4,300
4 P-2's	11,920
	<u>\$37,990</u>
Less	<u>37,170</u>
	\$ 820

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MEMORANDUM FOR

GENERAL VANDENBERG

SUBJECT: Apportionment of Departmental Contributions of
Personnel for the Central Reports Staff

REFERENCES: (a) M.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) M.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3
(d) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)

1. Reference (a), paragraph 1, states the basic policy of the National Intelligence Authority with respect to the subject. It requires that the participation of the State, War and Navy Departments be "adequate and equitable," and that the Army Air Forces be represented on a basis similar to that of the Army and the Navy.

2. The detailed initial personnel authorization for the Central Reports Staff is set forth in Reference (b), Appendix "A". The original draft of that portion of the Appendix which relates to the C.R.S. was based upon the concept of a functional organization such as that described in Reference (c). The numbers and grades of personnel were apportioned accordingly and so as to divide the total cost equally between the State, War, and Navy Departments. This was subsequently revised in haste to apportion the total numbers of personnel more nearly in line with the approved 1:2:1 ratio. The final version is imperfect from that point of view and makes no such apportionment by grades.

3. It now appears, in the light of experience and of further consideration, that the basic organization of the C.R.S. should be regional, although provision for functional specialization may be made later, as required. This reorganization can readily be effected within the overall personnel authorization in Reference (b). It entails some changes in numbers and grades, but their net effect is a budgetary reduction of \$820 per annum. Organization on a regional basis makes it essential, however, that the 1:2:1 ratio be closely applied, not only overall, but also with respect to each grade, in order that State, War, Navy and Army Air may be "adequately and equitably" represented in each regional subdivision of the Staff. I therefore propose to requisition personnel for the Central Reports Staff on that basis.

4. The differences between the apportionment in Reference (b) and that now proposed are shown in detail in the Appendix (Tab

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"C"). In view of the known policy of the National Intelligence Authority, as stated in Reference (a), paragraph 1, it would appear unnecessary to request of them action to effect such a readjustment in detail, provided that there is no objection in the Intelligence Advisory Board.

SIDNEY W. SOUERS
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR

SUBJECT: Personnel Requisition for the
Central Reports Staff

REFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.C. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "D")
(e) Memorandum, 13 February 1946, "Assignment of
State Department Personnel to the Central
Intelligence Group for the Central Reports
Staff."

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d) the contribution of State Department personnel desired for that purpose is two P-8's, one P-7, four P-6's, two P-5's, one CAF-5, and five CAF-4's. This requisition for such a contribution supersedes that contained in Reference (e).

2. It is requested that, in partial fulfillment of the foregoing requisition, you confirm the permanent assignment of the State Department personnel now temporarily on duty with the Central Reports Staff. Their names and present grades, the positions which they now occupy, and the grades being sought for those positions are as follows:

3. Pursuant to N.I.A. Directive No. 1, paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to the remaining personnel to be permanently assigned: one P-8, four P-6's, and five CAF-4's.

4. It is contemplated that the P-8 will serve as chief of one of five regional sections: viz., Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-USSR, Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. Since it is impossible to determine which of these sections should be headed by a State Department nominee until consideration has been given to nominations to be received from the several Departments,

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You are requested to make nominations with respect to each of them.

5. Similarly, it is requested that you nominate at least two persons in or eligible for grade P-6 with respect to each of the broad regions named above, one to be qualified primarily as a political analyst and one as an economic analyst.

6. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

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Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL VANDENBERG

SUBJECT: Personnel Requisition for the
Central Reports Staff

REFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "D")

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d), the contribution of War Department personnel desired for that purpose (exclusive of that to be requisitioned through the Army Air Forces) is:

- 2 Colonels (or civilians in grade P-8)
- 1 Lieutenant Colonel (or civilian P-7)
- 4 Lieutenant Colonels (or civilian P-6's)
- 1 Major (or civilian P-5)
- 1 First Lieutenant (or civilian P-3)
- 1 CAF-7, to serve as Administrative Assistant
- 2 CAF-5's
- 2 CAF-4's

2. It is requested that, in partial fulfillment of the foregoing requisition, you effect the permanent assignment of the M.I.S. personnel now on temporary duty with the Central Reports Staff. They are:

3. Pursuant to N.I.A. Directive No. 1, paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to the remaining personnel to be permanently assigned: two colonels, five lieutenant colonels,

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and one major (or civilians of equivalent grade); one CAF-7 and two CAF-4's.

4. It is contemplated that the two colonels (or P-8's) will each serve as chief of one of five regional sections of the C.R.S.; viz., Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-U.S.S.R., Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. Since it is impossible to determine which of these sections should be headed by a War Department nominee until consideration has been given to nominations to be received from the several Departments, you are requested to make nominations with respect to each of them.

5. Similarly it is requested that you nominate at least one lieutenant colonel (or civilian of equivalent grade) having special qualifications with reference to each of the broad regions named above and qualified to analyze and report on political and/or economic as well as strictly military developments therein.

6. You are requested also to nominate at least one lieutenant colonel qualified by training or experience to serve as Secretary (in the J.C.S. sense) or Executive Officer in the fully activated C.R.S., and at least one lieutenant colonel (or P-6) qualified to serve as Assistant Editor of periodical summaries of current intelligence. The Administrative Assistant (CAF-7) will be sought in S.S.U.

7. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

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SUBJECT: Personnel Requisition for the
Central Reports StaffREFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "D")

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d), the contribution of Navy Department personnel desired for that purpose is:

- 2 Captains (or civilians in grade P-8)
- 1 Commander (or civilian in grade P-7)
- 4 Commanders (or civilians in grade P-6)
- 1 Lieutenant Commander (or civilian P-5)
- 2 Lieutenants, junior grade (or civilian P-3's)
- 5 Clerk-Stenographers, CAF-4

2. The Navy personnel presently on temporary duty with the Central Reports Staff are:

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3. Pursuant to Reference (a), paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to personnel to be permanently assigned to the C.I.G. for duty with the C.R.S.

4. It is contemplated that the two captains (or civilian P-8's) will each serve as chief of one of five regional sections of the C.R.S.: viz., Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-U.S.S.R., Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. Since it is impossible to determine which of these sections should be headed by a Naval nominee until consideration has been given to nominations to be received from the several Departments, you are requested to make nominations with respect to each of them.

5. Similarly, it is requested that you nominate at least one commander (or civilian of equivalent grade) having special qualifications with reference to each of the broad regions named above. They should be professionally qualified to analyze and report on developments of naval or maritime interest. Additional competence for analyzing and reporting general political and economic developments in the region is desirable.

6. You are requested also to nominate at least one commander

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qualified by training or experience to serve as Secretary (in the J.C.S. sense) or Executive Officer in the fully activated C.R.S., and at least one commander (or P-6) qualified to serve as Assistant Editor of periodical summaries of current intelligence.

7. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

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Director

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SUBJECT: Personnel Requisition for the
Central Reports Staff

REFERENCES: (a) N.I.A. Directive No. 1
(b) N.I.A. Directive No. 2
(c) C.I.G. Administrative Order No. 3 (Revised)
(d) Memorandum (Tab "C")

1. The full activation of the Central Reports Staff pursuant to References (a), (b), and (c) is urgently desired. As explained in Reference (d), the contribution of Army Air Forces personnel desired for that purpose is:

- 1 Colonel (or civilian in grade P-8).
- 2 Lieutenant Colonels (or civilian P-7's).
- 4 Lieutenant Colonels (or civilian P-6's).
- 1 Major (or civilian P-5)
- 2 1st Lieutenants (or civilian P-3's)
- 4 Clerk-Stenographers CAF-4

2. The A.A.F. personnel presently serving with the Central Reports Staff are:

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3. Pursuant to N.I.A. Directive No. 1, paragraph 5, your nominations are now requested with respect to the personnel remaining to be assigned: five lieutenant colonels and one first lieutenant (or civilians of equivalent grade), and three CAF-4's. You are requested to nominate at least one lieutenant colonel or professional civilian having special qualifications with respect to each of the five broad geographical regions: Western Europe-Africa, Eastern Europe-USSR, Middle East-India, Far East-Pacific, Western Hemisphere. They should be professionally qualified to analyze and report on developments in those regions in both military and civil aviation. Additional competence to analyze and report on general political and economic developments is desirable.

4. These nominations are urgently needed in order to expedite the full activation of the Central Reports Staff.

SIDNEY W. SOUERS
Director

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TO : Secretary, N.I.A.

FROM : Acting Assistant Chief, Central Planning Staff

SUBJECT: Capabilities of the Russians to Produce New Weapons

DATE: 20 February 1946

I have been holding this pending establishment of the principal sub-divisions. Recommend this be placed in Reference File for use of the Central Reports Staff.

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Acting Assistant Chief,
Central Planning Staff

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8 February 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR

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Expert Consultant to the Secretary of War
Room 4E932 Pentagon Building
Washington, D. C.

Many thanks for the study

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It is being

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read with considerable interest by the C.I.G.

Admiral Souers asks me to express his appreciation for
your thoughtfulness in furnishing it.

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